FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

United States
Department of
Agriculture

Agricultural Marketing Service

DATE: August 17, 2001

PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: WHOLE EGGS

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 1,192,000 pounds of whole eggs—to be produced from about 30,000 cases of shell eggs—at a cost of approximately \$522,000 for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds	Awarded Prices Inv. No. 5	No. of Bids Accepted
5-pound cartons	520,000	\$0.4984-\$0.5347	2 of 3
bulk tankers	672,000	\$0.3787-\$0.3807	1 of 2

Total purchases of whole eggs since the program was announced May 29, 2001, follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
5-pound 30-pound containers	2,481,000 119,000	\$1,233,000 \$ 58,000
bulk tankers	3,024,000	\$1,149,000

Next offers under Announcement PY-246 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Period
6	5-pound cartons, 30-pound containers, and bulk tankers	Aug. 27	Aug. 31	Oct. 1-15

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

The awards for whole eggs made today under Announcement PY-246, Invitation 5, to be delivered from Sept. 16 to Sept. 30, 2001, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY246

COMM GROUP : EGGS, FROZEN INVITATION : 005

COMMODITY TYPE : EGGS, WHOLE, FROZEN

PACK SIZE : 6/5 LB CTN

CONTRACTOR NAME: CRYSTAL LAKE EGG PRODUCTS

PLANT ADDRESS : WARSAW

ITEM	DESTINATIO)N	QUANTITY	PR	ICE PER
NUM	CITY	ST	(LBS)	(LB)
004	BATESVILLE	MS	40,020	\$	0.5078

TOTAL AWARDED: 40,020

CONTRACTOR NAME: SONSTEGARD FOODS COMPANY

PLANT ADDRESS : ESTHERVILLE IA

ITEM	DESTINATIO)N	QUANTITY	PF	RICE PER
NUM	CITY	ST	(LBS)	((LB)
005	AMARILLO	TX	19,470	\$	0.5296
	LUBBOCK	TX	20,550	\$	0.5296
006	EL PASO	TX	40,020	\$	0.5347
007	HOUSTON	TX	40,020	\$	0.5103
008	LUBBOCK	TX	40,020	\$	0.5096
009	SAN ANTONIO	TX	120,060	\$	0.5105
010	DES MOINES	IA	40,020	\$	0.4984
011	MASON CITY	IA	20,010	\$	0.5074
	SIOUX CITY	IA	20,010	\$	0.5074

PLANT ADDRESS : GAINESVILLE GA

ITEM NUM	DESTINATION- CITY	ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	 RICE PER LB)
001	MOBILE	AL	28,590	\$ 0.5144
	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL	11,430	\$ 0.5144
002	WINTER HAVEN	FL	40,020	\$ 0.5089
003	KENNESAW	GA	16,620	\$ 0.5036
	LAWRENCEVILLE	GA	23,400	\$ 0.5036

TOTAL AWARDED: 480,240 ANNOUNCEMENT : PY246

COMM GROUP : EGGS, FROZEN

INVITATION : 005

COMMODITY TYPE : EGGS, WHOLE, LIQUID, BULK

PACK SIZE : BULK TANKERS

CONTRACTOR NAME: SONSTEGARD FOODS COMPANY

PLANT ADDRESS : ESTHERVILLE IA

ITEM	DESTINATIO	ON	QUANTITY	PR	ICE PER
NUM	CITY	ST	(LBS)	(LB)
020	MONTICELLO	MN	384,000	\$	0.3807
021	WAKEFIELD	NE	288,000	\$	0.3787

TOTAL AWARDED: 672,000

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